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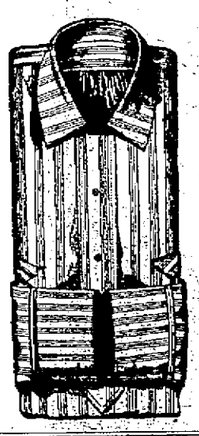

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THE SINKAGE.

Troublesome Question Before a House Committee.

They Want to Know the Losses of the Nicaragua Canal Co.

Before the United States Government Will Father the Sinkage—The Company Claims That It Had Sunk About $7,000,000 in Construction

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Steps are being taken by the house committee on commerce, which has in charge the preparation of a Nicaragua bill to obtain a definite statement of the amounts sunk by the maritime company which the government expects to father. This information is necessary for the settlement of the most troublesome question which has faced the committee and the one which has elicited differences of opinion, the problem how much shall be allowed the company in the settlement for its expenditures and the privileges secured by it. The company has claimed in a general way that it had sunk about seven millions in construction, and Senator Morgan's bill provided that for its disbursements and concessions it should receive eleven millions.

When Lieut. Menocal, the company's engineer, was before the committee, June 5, he was asked to give an estimate of the amount sunk, but said he could not do it off-hand. Representative Geary pressed him for definite statements, asking for the cost of construction per mile and other details, but the engineer replied that he could not give accurate answers and that his judgment might not be fair to the company. Finally he said that he could compile a definite statement and promised to forward one within ten days. The statement has not been received, and after the meeting of the sub-committee a letter was addressed to the engineer reminding him of his promise and pressing him for the statement. Accurate information on this matter is considered necessary, and will doubtless be secured by the committee before it decides how much stock shall be issued to the company.

NAVAL ACADEMY CHANGES.

A Longer Term of Instruction One of the Innovations.

ANNAPOLIS, June 19.—The report of the board of the visitors to the United States Naval academy, now being prepared, will recommend several important changes, modifying in several particulars existing laws relating to the academy. The board will suggest that the course of instruction shall be for six years instead of four and a two years' cruise at sea, as at present. Occasional practice cruises of four months each are recommended. The course of studies is modified, so that some of the elementary branches will be taught during the first year. The age limit of entrance to the academy is fixed at from fifteen to seventeen and the entrance shall be in May only.

The Peary Relief.

BROOKLYN, June 19.—The Peary auxiliary expedition, Mr. Henry G. Bryant, leader, will sail from Brooklyn on the steamship Portia Wednesday. The names of the members of the party are as follows: Prof. Wm. Libbey, jr., of Princeton college, geographer; Prof. T. C. Chamberlain, of Chicago university, geologist; Dr. Axel Ohlin, of Sweden, zoologist; Dr. H. E. Wetherill, of Philadelphia, surgeon; Mr. H. L. Bridgman, of the Brooklyn Standard-Union; Mr. Emil Diebitsch, of Port Royal, S. C., civil engineer.

A Cyclone's Work.

RICHMOND, Ky., June 19.—A cyclone visited a point just above Doylesville, this county, which was the most powerful and destructive ever known to visit this section. It lifted fences from creek bottoms to hillsides and tore up large sycamore trees which had been standing for 100 years, landing many of them a great distance away. During the cyclone hailstones as large as goose eggs fell, almost destroying the corn and other crops.

New Money Order Blanks.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—To all the 20,000 and odd money order post offices in the United States the post office department is now sending the new forms of money order blanks. They are being sent at the rate of about 1,000 a day and the work is expected to continue a week longer. About 700 new money order offices will be established throughout the country the beginning of next month.

A Spanish Student's Stiletto.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 19.—Wm. Cammack, who was stabbed in the groin Friday night by Ferrero Adamaro, a spanish medical student, is dead and Adamaro is a fugitive. The latter mistook Cammack for Patrick Laflin, who a few weeks ago thrashed him for informing the police of a chicken fight, at which Laflin was a spectator.

Indian Supplies.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs Browning returned Monday from New York city, where he has been superintending the work of opening bids and awarding contracts for furnishing supplies for the Indian service. All the force of employes of the Indian bureau detailed for work at Chicago and New York have returned.

Killed by a Bursting Wheel.

ST. LOUIS, June 19.—One man was instantly killed and a number seriously injured by the bursting of an immense emery wheel at the Wrought Iron Range Co.'s foundry, corner Washington avenue and Nineteenth street, Monday morning.

IN THE SENATE.

Good Progress Made on the Tariff Bill.

Schedules M and N, Pulp Paper, Books and Sundries Settled.

Free List on Page 89 Reached—Bituminous Coal to Be Taxed—Senator Hill Repudiates His Party and Leads a Clan of Seven to Defeat.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—The senate made good progress Monday with the tariff bill. Beginning at 10:30 with Schedule M, "pulp, paper and books," on page 77, it disposed of that and the succeeding schedule, N, "sundries," and at 5:15, when it adjourned, had reached the free list, on page 89. The only important check to rapid progress was caused by the amendment of the finance committee to place bituminous coal on the dutiable list, at forty cents a ton.

When the vote was reached six senators joined Mr. Hill in his effort to carry out the pledges of the Chicago platform for free raw material, but there were fifty-one republicans and democrats who declared for a duty on coal.

Those voting with Senator Hill were Messrs. Irby, (N. C.); the three populists, Allen (Neb.), Peffer (Kan.), and Kyle (S. D.); and two republicans, Hansbraugh (N. D.), and Washburn (Minn.). Votes of these two republicans are explained by their desire for reciprocity with Canada.

Senator Hill was very severe in his criticism of those members of the finance committee who defended themselves for putting a duty on coal with a threadbare plea of having been bulldozed into that position. He demanded in vain to know the names of the men who had taken these democratic managers by the throat and compelled them to repudiate the democratic platform and bring the democratic party into ridicule.

Senator Faulkner (W. Va.) made the speech of the day on the democratic side in defense of duty on coal, which, he said, was sound democratic policy inasmuch as there was no declaration in the democratic platform for free coal. If he believed that the democratic platform meant free coal he would vote to remove the duty on that material, and not sit silently in his seat as the senator from New York had when the question of free wool was being decided.

This was a direct cut at Senator Hill, who responded instantly with the declaration that coal was as much of a raw material as wool, and to vote to place one article on the free list and another on the dutiable list was an inconsistency that he did not understand.

Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, informed the senator from West Virginia that all the democratic speakers on the stump in New England during the last campaign promised the people of that country free coal if they would put the democratic party in power, whereupon the senator from West Virginia proclaimed his ignorance of any such promises and confined himself to a statement of what the democrats had promised to West Virginia. He admitted that if the doctrine of free coal had been preached in his state, the republicans would have carried it.

Games Played Monday.

*St. Louis	4	*Boston	24
Cincinnati	8	Baltimore	7
*Cleveland	11	*Boston	7
Chicago	3	Baltimore	0
*Pittsburgh	11	*Washington	6
Louisville	1	Brooklyn	10
*Pittsburgh	9	*New York	1
Louisville	8	Philadelphia	4

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	29	11	40	.725
Philadelphia	28	14	42	.666
Boston	31	16	47	.659
Pittsburgh	28	18	46	.609
Cleveland	25	16	41	.609
Brooklyn	26	17	43	.605
New York	24	21	45	.534
St. Louis	20	27	47	.426
Cincinnati	15	28	43	.349
Chicago	14	30	44	.318
Washington	14	32	46	.304
Louisville	10	33	43	.233

Prominent West Virginians Under Arrest.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 19.—H. V. Regan, representing a large Pittsburgh firm of coal dealers, secured warrants a few days ago for twenty-four citizens of Pleasant county, on the charge of stealing upward of 5,000 bushels of coal from barges sunk in the Ohio river near Vancluse, a few months ago. Eleven settled up; Monday thirteen others, among them Justice of the Peace J. M. Collett and Constable Sam Collett were arrested by United States marshals. All the accused are business men standing high.

Anarchist Warning.

OTTAWA, Ill., June 19.—Considerable excitement has been caused at Toluca by the finding of several written notices of warning posted along the railroad track, directed to "Mr. Devlin and all employes on the Santa Fe road." They are signed "Anarchist," and order them to stop running coal trains. The railroad officials have men guarding their property, and in case the strikers attempt to make a crooked move they will be given a warm reception.

The International Shoot.

NEW YORK, June 19.—In the international shoot at Mayence, Gus Zimmerman, champion sharpshooter of the New York independent schuetzen, carried away the first prize at the opening of the tournament on Sunday, and Monday won the first medal on the field target and a gold watch on the stand target.

A U. S. Marshal Shot.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 19.—Philip Roberts, a United States deputy marshal, was shot and probably fatally wounded by John K. Raddy at Tracy City. Raddy was suspected of running a blind tiger in Tracy City, and Roberts went to Raddy's store to investigate.

THE WORLD DO MOVE.

Now Newton's Theory of Centripetal Force Is a Burst Delusion, Declares Scientist Stevenson.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 18.—Robert Stevenson, member of the academy of sciences, in a lecture before that body Monday evening, declared that the true cause of gravity had at last been discovered. Newton's theory of centripetal force is proven to be simply a delusion as complete as the Ptolemaic delusion of the motion of the heavens.

According to the new theory, there is no need for an athereal medium to transmit force or energy; as both can be made to pass through a vacuum without any accompanying matter. The lecturer stated that the facts stated had already been for several months in the hands of Lord Kelvin, president of the Royal society, and, according to this new law, any weight whatever, if given horizontal velocity near the surface of the earth equal to 1,036 feet per second, would never fall to the earth.

He also declared that if the disc of any weight be rotated free in a horizontal plane with the resultant velocity of momentum equal to 1,036 feet per second, the disc would lose all its weight, so that the construction of flying machines is only a question of engineering skill and capital.

FREE SCHOOL BOOKS.

Chicago Children Will Have Them, and the City Publish Them, Possibly.

CHICAGO, June 19.—The common council of Chicago Monday night adopted resolutions which will result in providing every child with free text books and remove the inability of a large percentage of poor children to receive a common school education on account of their parents' financial circumstances.

The board of education is requested to open the way for competition in the sale of school books by inviting bids from every book publishing establishment in the country, and if after such bids are received there appears to be a monopoly in the school book trade, then the board of education is requested to establish its own printing plant, and publish all the books needed for the city public schools.

Our Fast Mail Service.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Congressman Storer Monday presented to the house the resolutions adopted by the Cincinnati chamber of commerce, on the 13th of June, urging upon congress an increased post office appropriation so that a fast mail service might be established from Cincinnati to the growing south.

Will Not Sue Pacific Roads.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—Attorney General Olney said Monday that there was no truth in the published statement that he had decided to enter suit for $71,000,000 against the Pacific bonded railroads, and had employed Attorney Russell, recently connected with the French spoliation claims litigation, for the purpose of handling the suits.

The Way He Paid the Debt.

SCRANTON, Pa., June 19.—Emanuel Loura, a barber at Mudtown, in Old Forge township, Sunday evening asked C. R. Isenzo Medlo to pay him fifteen cents which the latter owed him. Medlo at once knocked Louro down, and, drawing a revolver, shot him five times, causing instant death.

First of the Season.

GALION, O., June 19.—William H. Heffner, a prominent caterer, while attempting to throw a large cannon firecracker out of his show window after it had been accidentally lighted, lost the greater portion of his right hand by the explosion.

Choyinski-Fitzsimmons Fight.

BOSTON, June 19.—Bob Fitzsimmons, champion middleweight of the world, had Joe Choyinski about whipped Monday night, when the police butted into the ring, and an almost certain victory ended in a draw. Five rounds were fought.

Resume and Strike Again.

LOGAN, O., June 19.—The miners of Haydenville, after resuming work, laid down their picks and came from the mines because the Haydenville Mining and Manufacturing Co. discharged one of their men.

Kills His Son and Himself.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Distracted by grieving for his dead wife, James Francis Forshay, of 34 Vandam street, shot and fatally wounded his eleven-year-old son Walter Monday afternoon and then killed himself.

Peixoto as Dictator.

RIO JANEIRO, June 19.—Efforts are being made to induce President-elect Moraes to resign in favor of President Peixoto, whom it is proposed to establish as dictator. The army, it is said, is favorable to this program.

Mother and Children in a Runaway.

LEADVILLE, Col., June 19.—Mrs. J. R. Miller, wife of a leading merchant, and her two children, were thrown down an embankment by a runaway, while driving to Evergreen lakes. All three were fatally injured.

An Overdose.

YELLOW SPRINGS, O., June 19.—Prof. Hancock, of Antioch college, who took an overdose of morphine on Saturday and was thought to be dead, is still alive. The suicide theory is denied.

Terrific Storm.

CHILO, O., June 19.—The most destructive wind, hail and rain storm ever known in this community passed through this section, doing great damage to crops.

Hanged By a Mob.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 19.—Owen Ogletree, colored, who assaulted a Mrs. Wright near Forsyth, Ga., was captured Monday morning and hanged by a mob.

An Ex-Judge Attempts Suicide.

CAMBRIDGE, O., June 19.—Lot P. Hosick, ex-probate judge of this county, attempted suicide here Monday by cutting his throat with a pocket knife.

It is now stated that John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, is not to be editor of a magazine, but that he is to take charge of one of New York's big dailies.

THE CONVENTION.

An Organization Effected This Morning.

And the Candidates Placed in Nomination This Afternoon—Some Fine Elocutionary Efforts Indulged In.

At 10:40 Captain Skelton called the convention to order and announced the following temporary organization: Chairman, Hon. John N. McCormick, of Gallia; secretary, Hon. J. W. Jones, of Adams; sergeant-at-arms, Hon. J. W. Lewis, of Scioto. A little later, Hon. W. H. Middleton, of Pike was made assistant secretary.

Mr. McCormick was received with twice renewed cheers, and at once proceeded to denounce everything Democratic in the customary Republican style. A reference to Benjamin Harrison was received with a round of applause.

Mr. Speelman, of Jackson, moved that one man from each county be chosen on the committee on resolutions, permanent organization, rules and order of business and credentials. The following are the committees:

Credentials—Adams, John F. Hoffman; Gallia, Amos Clark; Jackson, T. J. Williams; Lawrence, R. B. Miller; Pike, J. W. Stevenson; Scioto, Charles Leonard.

Permanent Organization—Adams, A. J. McJudge; Gallia, G. T. McBride; Jackson, C. C. McCormick; Lawrence, T. J. Hayes; Pike, C. A. Peters; Scioto, Filmore Musser.

Rules—Adams, W. B. Long; Gallia, B. F. Thomas; Jackson, E. D. S. Morgan; Lawrence, J. F. Alexander; Pike, N. H. Middleton; Scioto, A. J. Finney.

Resolutions—Adams, Dr. J. L. Wright; Gallia, J. W. Jones; Jackson, A. E. Jacobs; Lawrence, E. S. Wilson; Pike, F. E. Daugherty; Scioto Carl Huber.

The convention then adjorned till 2 p. m.

The following congressional committee was nominated: Adams, ——; Gallia, W. G. Sibley; Jackson, T. C. Gerken; Lawrence, John B. Stroubel; Pike, S. C. Sergeant; Scioto, James Skelton.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The committee on permanent organization reported W. H. Middleton, of Pike; for permanent chairman, and C. C. McCormick, of Jackson, for secretary; for assistant secretaries, J. W. Jones, of Gallia, J. W. Jones, of Adams, A. B. Booth, of Lawrence; sergeant-at-arms, John W. Lewis, of Scioto.

Mr. Middleton, in addressing the chair made but a few brief remarks.

The committee on credentials reported no contests.

The vice presidents reported were as follows: Adams, Senator Phillips; Jackson, Charles Crandall; Gallia, D. S. Jenkins; Lawrence, E. E. Wells; Pike, W. H. Hooper; Scioto, J. J. Cranston.

The committee on resolutions affirmed the last national and state platforms; endorses the Republicans in congress in demanding adequate protection to American homes, labor and industries; denounces Democrats in general and congress especially for the hard times; endorses McKinley and Bundy; asks for Brice's retirement, and demands Joseph Benson Foraker for U. S. Senator.

The resolutions being read and adopted, the name of McKinley being received with loud cheers and that of Foraker with cheers thrice renewed, nominations were called for.

FENTON PRESENTED

W. E. Scott, of West Union, presented the name of Hon. J. L. Fenton, of Winchester. Mr. Scott's speech was a very finished effort, but not particularly forcibly delivered.

Prof. Jones, superintendent of the Manchester schools, seconded Mr. Fenton's nomination, and it is safe to say right here that a finer, more-to-the-point and telling speech will not be made during the convention.

At 3:30 the convention was still in session.

Whisky and Temper

Dennis Maynard filled up on corn juice last night and then proceeded to make things lively about his home. The patrol wagon was called and Lewis got a ride to the city prison. He was this morning fined $5.80, which included an extra dollar for the use of the patrol.

A Lawn Fete.

The young people of the Second Presbyterian church will give a lawn fete in the church yard Thursday evening. Admission, 15 cents, including ice cream and cake.

Wanted.

Any kind of office or clerical work, by a graduate of a first class business college. Best of references given. Address Bookkeeper, 92 East Third street, city. 19

A Short Visit.

Four specimens of the genus "hobo" spent the night in the city prison, and were discharged this morning.

Chris. Knost desires to close out all his flowers, preparatory to his removal to Cemetery Hill.

PERSONAL.

Charles Kinney, of Columbus, is in town.

G. W. Spencer, of Buena Vista, is in the city.

Miss Lucy Roth of Elm Tree, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. E. York left over the N. & W. yesterday evening for Duluth, Minn.

Miss Julia Tappan left on the N. & W. this morning for a visit in Aurora, Illinois.

Mrs. A. R. Morrison and daugater Miss Dollie of Elm Tree, are in the city today.

Miss Sadie Williamson, of Dry Run, has as her guest Miss Mary Smith of Elm Tree.

W. D. McCall and wife, of McGaw, are visiting in the city. Mr. McCall is postmaster at McGaw.

Miss Iva Crouch, of East Ninth street, left on the Iron Queen this morning for Pittsburg.

Mrs. Irvin Drew and Mrs. Damon left this afternoon over the N. & W. for Boston via New York.

Prof. Edward E. Butler has closed his term of school at Webster and returned to his home in this city.

Miss Geneviere Royer, of Kansas City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Michael Stanton, of West Second street.

Mrs. Charles Stewart returned last night from a trip to Pittsburg, and a visit with relatives in Ashland.

Miss Ruth Pritchard who has been visiting in New York City the past three weeks returned home this afternoon.

Dr. Ed. Seamans, of Delaware, is in the city. He is to act as best man at the Newman-Thompson wedding this evening.

Master William Doherty returned from Ironton yesterday, accompanied by his cousin, Miss Belle Hughes, of the Ironton House.

Mr. John Peebles, Jr., is in Ashland to see his daughter, Mattie, who a few days ago met with an accident in which her ankle was dislocated.

Miss Gertrude Jones and her brother Henry, of the East End, have gone to Owensboro, Ky., to spend the summer with their uncle, William Timbrooks.

Mrs. Taylor, mother of C. B. Taylor, of the Portsmouth National bank, left via the N. & W. this morning for Ogden, Utah. Mr. Taylor accompanied her to Chicago.

J. A. Kline and wife, of Buena Vista, left this morning to attend the commencement exercises at Delaware where their daughter Miss Stella graduates this year.

Mrs. B. Ryan, of East Third street, returned this morning from a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. John Hunt, of Clyde, O. She stopped off to visit her daughter, Mrs. Daniel Dahill, of Chillicothe, O.

Robert Howell and sister Nellie, of Columbus, children of Thos. G. Howell, formerly of this city, arrived here this afternoon for a short visit with relatives. They will be present at the wedding of their cousin, Oscar W. Newman.

EXCEEDINGLY LIVELY.

Three Men Injured More or Less in a Runaway Accident.

A pretty lively runaway stirred things up on Second street about noon today. Alf Daehler and Henry Crouch were driving Daehler's delivery wagon. At the corner of Second and Market the horse scared and jumped forward, throwing Daehler out, the wagon passing over his shoulder.

A short distance up Crouch jumped out rolling a considerable distance and badly disfiguring his clothes. At the corner of Second and Washington streets the outfit struck Dr. Fulton's buggy, throwing him out and passing over his foot. He was taken home and Dr. Lottridge called. One foot was mashed up, his head bruised and one arm somewhat bruised.

His injuries will lay him up for several days at least. The horses were both slightly injured.

A Street Car Ride to New Boston.

Friday evening, June 22d, at 7:45 p. m., Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans, with the River City Band, will take a street car ride to New Boston to advertise the coming event for the Fourth, the Son's big excursion to Ashland. The start will be made at the switch on Second and Market streets, and the train of cars consisting of two trailers and motor car. One half, the front trailer, will be placed at the disposal of the band and Sons of Veterans, and no doubt a large crowd will avail themselves of this delightful evening ride on our good street car line. About one hour will be spent in New Boston for sight seeing, after which the return trip will be made. New Boston expects a gala time.

F. Huelsman & Co., corner of Eleventh and Chillicothe streets, have secured the agency of the well known firm of E. H. Stafford Co., Grand Rapids, Mich., manufacturers of desks, revolving book-cases and office fixtures. Old desks will be taken in exchange at liberal prices. F. Huelsman & Co. also manufacture everything in artistic wood work, and will promptly attend to all orders in this line. Repairs of furniture given special attention.

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STARVATION or violence—boycotting ... [illegible]listing—are the only methods ... [illegible] these days of closing out a ... [illegible] which involves hundreds of millions of property and the livelihood of well ... [illegible] a million of people. Is not this ... [illegible] discreditable to our civiliza[illegible] there no way other than brute force on the one side or starvation on the other?

WHEN 4,171 men can absorb under twenty years of protection over one-fifth of the total wealth of the United States, protection must be a beneficial thing—for them. But when there has been no increase in the per capita wealth, and all they have acquired must have been mere transference from other pockets to their own, obtained by milking the people, it is time the latter kicked over the pail, the milking stool and the milker.

SOME of the Republican papers make a great ado about the income tax and denounce it as unpopular, inquisitorial, socialistic and all that sort of thing, but in the recent state conventions, held by the party in Indiana, Maine, Pennsylvania and Ohio, there is not a word ventured in the long platforms adopted against the income tax. Why is this? If the income tax is the bad and odious thing pictured, why are Republican state conventions quiet on the subject?

BECAUSE the Blade refused to lend its columns to this fake to humbug, deceive and rob the community, we are told, at the instigation of Pat and James W. Newman whose houses he visited and who had their heads together Friday, the fake roundly abused the editor of the Blade.—Blade.

The Blade lies as usual. We never saw the Shaker doctor. We saw his business manager, but never alluded to the editor of the Blade—Jim Valjean—Jim Smith—Jim Jeans.

In sympathy for the great champion of the old veteran, we have been very considerate of his feelings ever since Funk flattened him out June 2 1784.

He is so dead in Scioto county, that many Republicans suggest that the most appropriate thing to do would be to bury him. It is a pity the decent people of Portsmouth have concluded to run their own business.

WE had the pleasure of meeting the candidates of the various counties in this congressional district since their arrival in the city. They are all pleasant gentlemen, and would represent this district, no doubt, in the next congress creditably. But here in Scioto county there is a local pride among its people that make us all favorably inclined to Mr. Funk, except the "Valjean gang." Unfortunately the Lawrence delegation is labeled "Valjean's gang," or what is left of it. Now this delegation could do a commendable act by coming out from under the cloud. The gentlemen composing the delegation are from Lawrence county's most reputable citizens, but when they get down in Scioto's capital, labeled as they are represented to be, their influence is below par.

MANY of our Republican contemporaries a few months ago were proclaiming the beneficial effects of trusts, and others were shouting there are trusts in free trade England, but now the present tariff bill is but the product of trust influences. Why do not these wise editors point to a single trust that this bill has or will create. We challenge them to point to a single trust that has not been created under the tariff bills passed by Republican congresses, and again we challenge them to point to a single article produced by a trust that has the tariff rate increased by the present bill. In the long category of trusts created and fostered by the legislation of the Republican party, there is scarcely a single one that has not had its products put on the free list, or its products cut in two. They see the fate of the Republican party, the creature of trusts, and hope to saddle on the Democratic party the odium of their past misdeeds, but there will be a futile task. They are bound hand and foot by the trusts and combines and the money kings of Wall street. Like the Know Nothing and Whig parties there dissolution is at hand. A little more time and the G. O. P. will sink beneath the waves of oblivion.

Politics and Reform.

Many of our Republican contemporaries are commenting on the frauds perpetrated in New York. It was the Democratic New York World, Herald, Times, and Harpers, that unearthed them, while the Tribune and Renegade Sun that got the fat that shield, and protected the boodlers. The Pittsburg Post makes these pungent and just comments on the course of Republican papers:

Noting the efforts of Republican papers to turn the disclosures making by the legislative committee in New York to political account, the "World" maintains this is a splendid way to prevent reform and merely exchange one set of jobbers for another. There has been no politics, that paper alleges, in the speculation, peculation and blackmail that have been laid bare. These Republican organs, it says, "blink at the truth that the very worst disclosures made were those of the Republican police commissioner, McClave." He was forced to admit that in the traffic of office there never was any difference or dissension between himself and his Tammany colleagues. They were "a band of brothers in inquity, acting together for a partnership profit from evildoing." It is a striking fact that there is generally no politics in municipal jobbery. Representatives of both parties are let in very generally, although in Pittsburg the Republican ringsters manage to "hog" the whole business. And another striking fact is that the hold of these municipal combines is generally maintained by raising national political issues to control municipal elections. Questions of paving and other street improvements, or the protection of life and property, are decided on what people think are tariffs, force bills or national taxation and banking. This is one of the greatest absurdities of American politics, and is the chance of the local heeler, boss and plunderer. It accounts for the fact that in municipal government the United States lags far in the rear of European countries in the matter of honest and effective administration, covering the whole scheme of the collection and wise application of city taxes.

FARMERS of Illinois are said to be worrying about a new pest imported from Europe which in the last two years has made its obnoxious presence prominent. It is the wild or prickly lettuce. Last year it was very abundant, and this spring more so. It spreads very rapidly, as it seeds abundantly, and the seeds are as readily carried by the wind as those of the dandelion. It has been estimated that nearly twenty-five-thousand seeds may be produced to the square foot. The plant is readily recognized as the leaves are much like those of some varieties of cultivated lettuce. They are six or eight inches long, about one and a half inches wide, with irregular prickly edges.

THE following from the Chipmunk Falls Eagle, as a sample of graphic word painting should have a place in the hat of every young reporter in the land: "Through all the heat and confusion of the fire when the fire fiend, the fire king and the devouring element were waving destruction's torch, the fine writer kept calm and collected in order to compose that wild weird matter the prospect of which adds terrors to a conflagration. The demon of destruction laughed; the fire fiend laid his burning touch upon it, and the pigpen of Mrs. Casey was no more."

"THE ages move slowly, but with tremendous power," observes the United Presbyterian. "From one year to another there is little change visible, but there is, movement, and after while it is seen that the whole race has advanced. It is not in the power of man to stop that movement, but everyone may contribute something to it." He who sits tamely down, however, and makes no effort to help the race along will find that the movement is more perceptible than will he who is up and doing, for the worker in every field keeps pace with the times while the slothful one is left behind.

THE newspaper coupon business grows, and is spreading to include about everything which mankind needs, so that it does not require a very flighty imagination to conceive of a time when one may live well, dress well, enjoy all the comforts and recreations of life, pay doctor's bills and finally arrange with the undertaker with no more trouble than is required to clip a coupon and pass it over to the cashier in the newspaper counting-room.

SIX HUNDRED designs for a new set of postage stamps soon to be issued in France have been sent in in public competition for a prize offered by the government for the best. The effigy of Joan of Arc, the new patron saint of France, appears in many of the designs, and there is a strong and growing public sentiment in favor of using a picture of the Maid of Orleans on at least some of the new stamps.

As MUCH as two million five hundred thousand dollars is expended for lead pencils in the United States every year. All the machinery used in the production of lead pencils is a carefully-guarded secret. It is not patented, but each company has its own process, and very little of it is known by outsiders.

NASHUA, N. H., has a resident named Hiram Goodpudding. His father's name was Constitution Goodpudding and he lived to the age of eighty-nine without even having been more than thirty miles from his home. He probably didn't care to venture abroad with that name.

THE daughter of a Kansas safe robber got five hundred signatures to a petition for her father's pardon and then raised money by washing and scrubbing to pay railroad fare from her home in Norton county to Topeka. There she saw the governor and secured his pardon. It is said that the father will live honestly hereafter.

SUCH has been the growth of popular opinion in favor of the sudden disposition of the dead by heat that there are now in the country eighteen incorporated cremation societies, and during the past ten years about three thousand cremations have taken place.

SIMPLY DRIFTING.—N. Y. World.

FALSE FIGURES.

The Senate Committee's Misleading Comparisons.

The senate finance committee must, indeed, think that we are a nation of chumps. Do they hope to delude the people by the "official" comparison between the duties of the McKinley act and the senate and house bills, into believing that the average duty in the senate bill is 30.75 against 35.52 per cent. in the house bill? Do they expect this comparison table will be accepted as fair and just, and that it will make their bill acceptable to the people? While perhaps technically accurate, the comparison is unjust. The figures published do not begin to represent the great difference, from the standpoint of protection, between the house and the senate bills. They are grossly misleading in at least two respects:

1. In the senate bill duties are included on very important articles which are free in the house bill. Here are three of the articles, and the value of imports each in 1893:

Sugar and molasses	$116,952,222.65
Iron ores	1,241,333.75
Coal and coke	3,701,642.56
Total	$121,892,208.38

The average of 35.52 per cent. for the house bill is computed upon imports valued at about $380,000,000, while the 30.75 per cent. average for the senate bill is computed upon imports valued at about $500,000,000. To the people who asked for relief from burdensome tariff taxes, this difference is about $68,000,000—$5 per family. A fairer comparison would include the same articles in both averages. Thus, if we include in the dutiable lists of both bills all articles that are dutiable under either bill, we will have about $500,000,000 of dutiable imports. Under the house bill we would get about $120,000,000 of revenue and under the senate bill about $184,000,000. The average ad valorem duty under the house bill would be about 25¼ per cent., against 36⅞ per cent. in the senate bill. The senate bill duties on articles actually imported are therefore 44 per cent. greater than the house bill duties.

2. Many duties that produce no revenue are higher in the senate than in the house bill. The protective features of such duties have been greatly increased, but no effect has been produced upon the average of duties. Thus the house duty of 20 per cent. on steel rails, equal to less than $4 per ton, has been increased to 7-20 of a cent per pound, equal to $7.81 per ton. Either of these duties will be as prohibitive of importations as is the McKinley duty of $13.44. The steel rail trust in either case will fix prices below the importing point. The senate bill simply gives 300 per cent. more protection, and will enable the trust to fix prices $4 per ton higher than would be possible under the house bill.

In the same way the house duty of 30 per cent. on structural iron and steel is increased about 80 per cent. in the senate bill. The duty on starch is increased from 1 to 2 cents per pound; the duty on linseed or flaxseed oil, from 15 cents to 20 cents per gallon. The duty on boracic acid, wash blue, vermilion red, strychnine and on many other chemicals have been increased, though they were already prohibitive.

In fact, the majority of the 400 increases in the senate over the house bill are increases of protective and non-revenue-producing duties, which would produce a scarcely perceptible effect upon the "average" ad valorem duties on all schedules.

The unfairness is conspicuous in the comparison of the rates in the sugar schedule. The rate in the house bill is given as 28.43 per cent.; in the senate bill as 30.59 per cent. As is well known, the house bill makes all cane and beet sugar free. The 28.43 per cent. represents only the duty on confectionery and on glucose, or grape sugar. The total value of these imports in 1893 was $53,019. The senate duty of 30.59 per cent. represents the duty on the total imports of all kinds of sugars. These in 1893 were valued at $118,285,017. The house duty would produce $15,073, while the senate duty would produce $16,830,050 in revenue. It will be observed that the discriminating duties of one-eighth and one-tenth cent per pound on refined sugars cut no figure even in bringing up the average rate of duty in the sugar schedule.—Byron W. Holt, in N. Y. Post.

SCIENTIFIC ITEMS.

IN South America rain frequently falls in torrents from a clear sky.

A WAVE of thought would require about a minute to traverse a mile of nerve.

FIFTY-ONE metals are now known to exist. Three centuries ago only seven were known.

SOME scientists consider sugar the principal factor in the production of muscular energy.

THERE are eight edible and twelve poisonous varieties of mushrooms in the United States.

SPARROWS have so much curiosity that they will gaze in mirrors by the hour if not disturbed.

THE metals which have been proved to exist in the sun are iron, sodium, nickel, copper, zinc and marium.

PROF. TYNDALL is said to have been the first man to ever attempt to produce an artificial rainbow—this in 1883.

IT is a disputed question among scientists as to which is the most fatiguing, walking up hill or walking down hill.

AN explosive with power equal to that of high grade dynamite is being made in Germany from a preparation of common hemp.

WATER alone has been known to sustain life fifty-five days. If only dry food were taken death would result in a quarter of that time.

IN what are called "looming mirages" distant objects show an apparent extravagant increase in height without alteration in breadth.

THE velocity of the earth's rotation on its axis at the equator is fourteen hundred and forty feet per second, or nearly twenty-five thousand miles a day.

WHAT is supposed to be a meteorite has been unearthed at Windsor, Conn. It is about three and one-half feet by two and one-half feet and is eighteen inches thick, with a knob on one end.

ROBERT DODGE,

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The Best Butter,
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IN THE MARKET.

☞Thirty bushels Home Grown Potatoes for sale very cheap.

At the Old Stand,
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Ink! Ink! Ink!

Black, Gloss Black, Blue, Red, Green and Violet. All colors and sizes.

Stationery.

Fine Linen Paper and Envelopes in boxes. Fine Linen Paper Ink Tablets, Pencil Tablets. All sizes. Fool's Cap, Letter Paper, Envelopes, Pens and Penholders.

Atomizers.

Have the finest and most extensive line ever brought to the city.

Nye's Sarsaparilla

For the blood. Guaranteed.

I have two little grand children who are teething this hot summer weather and are troubled with bowel complaint. I give them Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and it acts like a charm. I earnestly recommend it for children with bowel troubles. I was myself taken with a severe attack of bloody flux, with cramps and pains in my stomach, one-third of a bottle of this remedy cured me. Within twenty-four hours I was out of bed and doing my house work. MRS. W. L. DUNAGAN, Bon-aqua, Hickman Co., Tenn. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Ten cent plants now 5 cents at Chris. Knost's. All others at reduced rates

E. E. EWING

75 WEST SECOND ST

Is selling goods at very low prices, among which are

Dinner Sets,
Chamber Sets,
Silver Plated Knives,
Forks, Spoons, Etc.

ALL OF BEST QUALITY.

He invites you to call, and the inspection of his goods and prices cannot fail to impress you with the fact that nowhere else can you be better served.

Have You Seen the Latest?

The MODEL STEEL RANGE

With Gas Stove attached? The combination makes it suitable for summer or winter use. We have

The Best Range

And carry the largest assortment of any house in the city. Do not buy a range until you have seen

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And you will have no other. It is made at home.

THE CREAM CITY FLOUR BIN AND SIFTER is a perfect success and must be seen to be appreciated.

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Do not buy WOOD OR IRON MANTELS until you have seen our stock.
Please give us a call.

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Successor to GLOCKNER BROS.

136 W. Second St.

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of Mary B. Staiger.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Mary B. Staiger, by the probate court of Scioto county.

All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

May 21, A. D., 1894.
HENRY C. LODWICK,
Portsmouth, Ohio.
GEORGE O. NEWMAN, Attorney.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Fred Rider and Richard M. Kricker, doing business under the firm name of Rider & Kricker, was on the 2nd day of June, 1894, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in the future will be carried on by Fred Rider alone.

FRED RIDER,
RICHARD M. KRICKER.
Portsmouth, O., June 2nd, 1894.

AS NEARLY EVERYBODY KNOWS

No Matter How the World Rolls,
We Get There After All!

As a Bargain Center for Reliable Goods
We Can't be Beat!

Our "Nancy Hanks" Reduction Sale captures buyers of Women's shoes, and will continue the remainder of this week.

We delight our Gentlemen patrons by selling at $3 a fine Calf Goodyear Welt, Congress or Bal. shoe; this is an item of interest to close buyers.

In high-class goods our Rockland make of Men's fine shoes hold the public favor and are in good supply.

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SHOULD YOU WANT

A Bottle of Catsup,
Or a Bottle of Sauce,
Or a Bottle of Pickles,
Or a Bottle of Horseradish,
Or a Bottle of Olives,
Or a Bottle of Capers,
Or a Bottle of Honey,
Or Maple Syrup,
Or a Bottle of Onions,
Or a Bottle of Celery Salt,
Or a Can of any kind of Soup,
Or a Can of any kind of Fruit,
Or a Can of any kind of Vegetables,
Or a Pound of any kind of Dried Fruit,
Or a Pound of Coffee,
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Or Anything in the Fancy Grocery, Fruit or Vegetable Line,

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Rates, $60, $75 and $90 a month, according to location. Address
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Less Than Auction Prices!

We are still before you, giving great Bargains in Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing, Suits, Hats, Shirts, Collars, Ties and Trunks, and as we have to vacate the store shortly, we will close out all we can at a great sacrifice.

Store open every evening until 9 o'clock.

B. GUITERMAN,

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This Summer Will be Hot

Unless it differs from all other summers in this climate. Prepare for it by buying

A Refrigerator, An Ice Cream Freezer,
A Water Cooler, An Ice Box,

Where you can get one at a price never before equalled. Big lot of step ladders and lawn mowers.

The Quick Meal Gas and Gasoline Stoves

Save heat and temper, promote good will and peace on earth this sort of weather; we have 'em.

Screen Doors and Windows at Cost.

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25 PIECES	DRESS GINGHAMS AT Sold before at 7½c.	5c per Yard
20 PIECES	LAWNS, 30 inches Wide, Worth 10c.	6¼c per Yard
40 PIECES	INDIA LAWNS AT Worth 12½c.	8⅓c per Yard

EXTRA VALUES

In White India Linens at 8⅓c, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 20c per Yard.

For the benefit of our Clerks, we will close our store during the summer months at 6 p. m. (sun time), except on Tuesday and Saturday evenings.

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FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN.

Finest and largest assortment to select from in town. Prices to suit the times.

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A NUISANCE.

The Building Occupied by the C. & O. So Declared,

And the Owner Ordered to Abate the Same Within Ten Days—So Says the Board of Health.

The board of health met in adjourned session last evening at the mayor's office, there being present His Honor, the Mayor, Judge Osborne, Mr. Rauch, Mr. Linck, Mr. Blake and Mr. Miller.

The object of the meeting was to take action in regard to the building now occupied by the C. & O. as a ticket office, and immediately after the board had been called to order, Judge Osborne, of the nuisance committee, submitted a report. The committee had, on June 15th, examined the building at the corner of Front and Market, owned by E. C. Kryder, and found it in bad sanitary condition and unfit for occupancy, by reason of two foul vaults near by, a foul cellar in which water was standing, defective plumbing to water closets, a stagnant pool of water on the lot and a defective wall. The committee recommended that the property be declared a nuisance and that it be immediately vacated.

The committee also found an overflowing vault on the property of the heirs of Elizabeth Collins, deceased, on Madison street, near Second, and recommended that the same be abated at once. The report was accepted and approved and resolutions passed ordering the necessary improvements in the Kryder property in ten days, and the nuisance in the Collins property in five days form the time of service of notice.

Dr. C. C. Fulton, health officer, said he had examined the alley between Eighth and Ninth streets and John and North Waller, and had found it in bad shape. This was caused wholly by defective drainage, the alley being higher at both ends than in the center. The doctor thought it a good idea to refer the matter to council with a suggestion that the defective drainage be remedied. The whole sewerage system in that end of town was wrong, continued the doctor, the gutters being higher than the lots and streets.

The still, small voice of Mayor Hall suggested that it took lots of red tape to make things go in council and accordingly a resolution setting forth that the alley was a nuisance, caused by a total lack of drainage, which needed remedying at once, was passed and ordered transmitted to council.

The sanitary policeman was granted permission to purchase six barrels of lime.

The notice to abate the nuisance of the Kryder building was ordered published in a newspaper of general circulation, the fact that the owner was a non-resident, making this step necessary.

The board then adjourned.

GRAND CHEAP EXCURSION

To Dayton via C., P. & V. and C., H. & D. Railroads, Sunday, June 24th.

A special train will leave Portsmouth at 6 a. m., arriving at Dayton at 1 p. m., round trip only $2. Returning, special train leaves Dayton at 6:45 p. m. Tickets also good returning on regular trains Monday, June 25th.

Don't fail to visit the soldiers' home, the grandest spot in America, covering 750 acres of magnificent ground, inhabited by over 5,000 disabled volunteer veterans; handsome and costly buildings of every description representing a little city within itself, and the landscape gardening to be seen at the home at this season of the year outdoes alone anything of its kind in America, and is a sight well worth seeing. Lakeside park, situated at the entrance of the home, affords amusement of every description. Don't miss it. For further particulars see small bills or address Floyd L. Smith, district passenger agent, C., P. & V. R. R. 18-23

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On the crest of the Alleghenies, 3,000 feet above tide water, is one of the most charming and healthful resorts and contains 800 acres of forest and glade. The temperature is delightful and hay fever and malaria are unknown. The park is lighted by electricity. The hotels and boarding houses are first-class; board from $7 to $12 per week. Furnished cottages or rooms at reasonable rates. All Baltimore & Ohio trains stop at the park. Write to L. A. Rudisill, Superintendent, Mountain Lake Park, Md., in regard to hotels, etc., and for information as to time of trains, rates of fare, etc., call on any agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railway, or address O. P. McCarty, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Home-seekers' Excursions South.

The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railway has arranged a series of home-seekers excursions to points in Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana at one fare for the round trip.

The dates of these excursions are as follows: June 5th, July 5th, August 7th, September 4th, October 2d, November 6th and December 4th.

Tickets will be good for twenty days, with stop-over privileges in state to which ticket is sold.

A splendid opportunity to visit the Valley of Virginia and other points South.

For rates and further information apply to nearest agent of the B. & O. S-W. railroad, or address O. P. McCarty, general passenger agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Sometime ago I was troubled with an attack of rheumatism. I used Chamberlain's Pain-Balm and was completely cured. I have since advised many of my friends and customers to try the remedy and all speak highly of it. SIMON GOLDBAUM, San Luis Rey, Cal. For sale by Fisher & Streich.

NEW READING MATTER

For the Y. M. C. A. Rooms—The Program for Thursday Evening's Reception.

The educational committee of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening and selected several new periodicals for the reading room. They will be ordered immediately and placed on file. The list ordered includes St. Nicholas, Ladies' Home Journal, Cassler's Magazine, Power, Herald and Presbytery, Epworth Herald and Religious Telescope.

The following short program has been prepared for the reception at the association rooms Thursday evening. It is short and interesting, and will be a leading feature of the evening:

Overture.....Czerwinski Trio.
Vocal Solo, "Fishing" ..... Miss Mary Richardson.
Recitation.....Miss Lena Kline.
Piano Solo.....Miss Anna Evans.
Vocal Solo, Selected.....Miss Richardson.
Reading, selection.....Miss Kline.
Selection.....Czerwinski Trio.

Fuel for the P. O.

Postmaster John Jones will receive sealed bids until noon June 25 for furnishing coal for the government building. The bidders will be required to name their price for fifty tons of anthracite coal and to accompany the bid with ten per cent of the aggregate amount as a guarantee that the bid is bone fide.

To Cincinnati for the Summer.

Mrs. Ben Neighbors left this morning for Cincinnati, where she will spend the summer. Marshal Schmidt accompanied her and will see that she gets accommodations at the work-house for a month or so. She was fined $20 and costs and thirty days for disorderly conduct.

Enterprise, Ky.

Enterprise Castle No. 21, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of Ky., met in regular session Saturday night 16th inst. The principal business before the castle, was the semi annual election of officers.

Election night is always an occasion for much merriment and the boys enjoyed themselves on this occasion. The ballotting lasted until nearly midnight, resulting in the election of the following: W. H. Livingston, P. C.; David Tipton, N. C.; J. R. Wheeler, V. C.; W. S. Foster, V. H.; S. Y. Shay, S. H.; Stephen Hooper, H. P.; J. M.; Lemaster, trustee. F. M. Griffin was elected representative to the Grand Castle, which convenes in Grayson the second Tuesday in August. The above officers will be installed, Saturday July 7th and then No. 21, will be prepared for business as formerly.

The Fourth of July is fast approaching and the boys are very much elated over the prospects of success. Rev. D. H. Reid and Hon. J. B. Without of Grayson has promised to deliver addresses for us. They are said to be two of the best speakers in the state, on the subject of Eagle Knighthood, and everybody should hear them.

There are four applicants for our school to date. The board will meet as soon after the 1st of July as possible and will be ready to consider applications.

George W. Smith, deputy sheriff is out on his rounds this week, looking after 1894 taxes. He was at Enterprise Tuesday, the 19th inst.

J. J. Mocabee and Robert Henderson are doing jury duty in Grayson this week.

Miss Vina Compton, of Trough Camp, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

John Bush has been applying the whitewash brush very vigorously to the Griffin premises the past week. He has made everything shine like a new dollar. He says Stant Conley and A. M. Shay want to engage him, but he doesn't care for the job of whitewashing brush fences.

Geo. W. Razor and son, W. H. Razor, lately of Owen county, are raising a large crop of tobacco on the J. P. Richard's land. They are hustlers, having cleared and put out twelve acres of new ground this spring.

Shay Bros. are still getting out immense quantities of fire clay, R. M. Griffey hauled 58 loads last week, averaging over two tons each.

The Bellevue postmaster has been ordered to change the name of his office to Emerson. This is more like it and will not cause so much trouble.

The mail route No. 29,146 has been cut into, and will begin at Emerson instead of Vanceburg.

T. B. Rose will erect a large and commodious platform near here on July 4th, for the benefit of those who wish to trip the light fantastic toe. Be it understood that it is not a part of the K. G. E. celebration, and will not be on their grounds. F. M. G.

DAYTON AND RETURN.

Via the C. P. & V. & C. H. & D. R. R's., Sunday June 24.

A special train leaves Portsmouth at 6 a., m. arriving at Cincinnati 10 a. m.; leaves Cincinnati at 11 a. m., arives in Dayton 1 p. m. Leaves Dayton for home, 6:45 p. m. Only $2 for the trip. Tickets will also be good returning on all regular trains Monday. 18 23

A Utilitarian.

Daughter (pleadingly)—I am sure you will like George. He is the most conscientious young man I ever knew.

Father (a business man)—Then don't you dare to marry him! You'll starve to death!—N. Y. Weekly.

His Idea.

Johnny—Pa, what does it mean in the book when it says: "The woman dissolved into tears"?

His Pa (of wide experience) — It means that she asked for a new dress and didn't get it.—Chicago Record.

A Guilty Conscience.

Edith—I think Tom Manners is a flirt.

Maude—How so?

Edith—Why, after I've refused him only three times he is making love to that odious May Takem!—Truth.

UP TO DATE.

The River City Business College Prosperous and Growing.

To Occupy New and Modernly Equipped Quarters After This Week—A Peep Into the School, Its System and Its Work.

The rapid growth of the River City Business college, which has for several years been the pride of Portsmouth, has made another increase of facilities and room necessary. The school will next week occupy new quarters which will in every way compare favorably to any business college home in Ohio. The school is now in its fourth year and has a bright outlook for even a more successful future than the career of which its present enviable standing is the climax.

The new quarters are on the floor above the present quarters in the Jones building on Chillicothe street. The carpenter, painter and plasterer have converted that floor into a model school home. At the top of the stairs is the manager's office, a neat carpeted room with all the modern appliances of an office. The main study room is in front and is 75x33 feet. In this are a number of small tables, each pupil having a separate table, a very great advantage in study.

The north wall contains the black boards for penmanship and arethmetic study, and on the south wall hangs numerous specimens of diplomas of Messrs. Graham and Moothart the proprietors. Back of this room is the short hand room and between the two the practical business department. This includes seven offices for the transaction of different lines of business. The pupil starts in the hardware office and from this passes on through the commission store, real estate, dry goods to the emporium where all lines of business are transacted. There is also a commercial exchange and a college bank for practical business instructions, opposite the bank is the postoffice. The entire outfit is neat and attractive and thoroughly complete in every respect.

The school has two courses, the business in which are taught bookkeeping, penmanship, business arithmetic and commercial law; and the short hand course which includes besides shorthand, type writing, spelling and penmanship. The school is open from 9 a. m, to 12 and from 1:30 p. m., to 4 in addition to the night school from 7 to 9 and each of the 48 pupils enrolled have the benefit of individual instruction.

Mr. Graham, who has charge of the shorthand department, has a certificate from Jas. E. Munson, the author of the system taught here. Mr. Moothart, principal of the business department, is a graduate of the Northern Illinois Normal school, of Valpariso, and has other deplomas from the highest authority. The graduates of the school have been remarkably successful with one or two exceptions, all holding responsible positions now.

A new class of 100 penmanship pupils will be started next week. The school will be found opened in the new quarters Monday, which will be a public day. A general invitation is extended for every one to call and inspect a model school on that day.

A Reliable Domestic.

"Here is a note I want you to hand to Mrs. Livaly when you are sure nobody is looking," said a New York society man to a colored servant at a fashionable Fifth avenue residence.

"Yes, sah," replied Sambo, showing his ivories.

"But, mind you don't whisper a word to a living soul."

"You kin jess rest easy about dat, boss. Yisterday I fotched dot as same woman a letter from anudder gemman, an' I ain't said a word 'bout it to nobody yet. You kin jess rest easy 'bout my opening my mouf."—Tammany Times.

She Respected Sorrow.

"Is the head of the family in?" asked the woman with something to sell.

"No," replied the tired-looking man with wilted side whiskers; "she left last week. But the man at the intelligence office says he hopes to find one that we'll suit inside of a week or two."

And the woman with something to sell was so touched with pity that she went away without another word.—Washington Star.

The Artist Has Grown Wise.

"Does your artist friend paint portraits true to life?"

"He did at first, but he has learned better."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, the first two or three commissions he executed were so true to life that the sitters refused to take the the pictures."—Baltimore Telegram.

A Similar Feeling.

Husband—No, Mary; you can never accuse me of meanness. I paid twenty-five dollars for that hat and seventy-five dollars for that dress. I always like to see my wife well dressed.

Wife (kindly)—And I like to see you look well, too, Henry. Give me that hat, and I'll touch up those rusty spots with this shoe-blacking.—Puck.

Could Not Locate Them.

She—While you were gone, darling, I kissed your picture every day. Did you ever feel those kisses when I did so?

He (with a sop to his conscience)—I often felt kisses, but I could not say whether it was at the time you were kissing my picture.—N. Y. World.

A Fashionable Doll.

Lady—I want a doll for my little girl here.

Clerk—What kind of a doll does the little girl want?

Little Girl—It must have teeth like mamma's that you can take out, and hair that you can hang on the chair at night.—Alex Sweet, in Texas Siftings.

A Fatal Error.

Nodd—What did Jagway move so quickly for?

Todd—He found there wasn't a saloon within five blocks.—Brooklyn Life.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Eleven weaders are in jail at Omaha for stealing a train.

Jonathan D. Rogers, aged eighty, was fatally mangled by hogs near Oxford, O.

One man was killed and four others badly slashed at a Negro festival near Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Norman Clark and his sweetheart, Jennie Riley, were killed by lightning under a tree near Lyons, Ia.

In consequence of the outbreak of typhoid fever at Liegnitz, Prussian Silesia, the summer military maneuvers of the reserves at that place have been abandoned.

Sam Meado, a young man living at Malden, W. Va., while in swimming, slipped from a board and sank. When found he was standing straight up, stuck in the mud.

Forest Melrose, orphan, aged 8, was shot and killed near Chestervillo, W. Va., by James Watson, aged 13. Watson, carrying a gun at full cock, stumbled and fell.

Bull fighting, which is just being revived in the City of Mexico after four years' lapse, has received a severe blow by the fatal wounding of Juan Moreno, the famous matador.

The coal miners of Fremont county, Col., did not resume work Monday, in accordance with the agreement of the eastern and southern miners. They will wait until after the convention to be held at Pueblo on the 20th inst.

Six convicts attempted to escape from the Mississippi penitentiary farm, and in the fight with the guards, Geo. Nial, a life convict was instantly killed. The mutiny was led by Brooks Story the notorious train robber.

At Logan C. H., W. Va., George Winston and Charles Bragg, inmates of the jail, fought over an insult Bragg had offered to a young lady who visited Winston. In the quarrel Bragg struck Winston with a cell-stool and fractured his skull. He will probably die.

Three hundred steel workers, members of the Amalgamated association, employed in Jones & Laughlin's American iron works, Pittsburgh, have been notified of a wage reduction amounting to 45 per cent., to take effect July 1. The men have protested against the reduction, and a strike may result.

A freight on the Big Four jumped the track near Batesville, Ind. Tommy Haley, of Wheeling, W. Va.; Michael Cunningham, of Plymouth, Pa., H. A. Smith, of Harrisburg; Jim Brady, of Philadelphia, and Harry Ward, of Cincinnati, were beating their way in one of the wrecked cars. The two first were killed, the next two seriously injured and the fifth escaped with but a slight bruise.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, June 19.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.35@3.85; do fancy at $2.75@3.00; do family at $2.35@2.60. Winter patent quotable at $2.75@3.10; fancy at $2.50@2.60, and family at $2.10@2.15; extra at $1.80@1.95; low grades at $1.60@1.75.

WHEAT—No. 2 red is quotable at 55@56c per bushel on track.

CORN—Yellow ear, to arrive, 43½c; white do, 40½c; No. 2 yellow, track, 44c; No. 2 mixed, track, 43½c.

OATS—No. 3 white, track, 44½c; No. 2 mixed, track, 44½c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, $3.75@4.25; prime, $4.35; select butcher, $3.80@4.10; prime, $4.15@4.25; fair to medium, $3.30@3.75; common to ordinary, $2.25@3.25. Heifers: Good choice, $3.50@4.00; fair to medium, $2.75@3.15.

VEAL CALVES—Common and large, $2.25@3.50; fair to good light, $3.75@4.25; extra, $4.50.

HOGS—Select butcher, $4.70@4.75; packing, $4.00@4.70; common and rough, $4.10@4.55; fair to good light and fat pigs, $4.50@4.75; common to fair pigs, $3.75@4.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep—Top yearling and wethers, $3.25@3.50; good to choice ewes and wethers mixed, $2.50@3.00; common to fair, $1.25@2.25. Lambs—Extra shipping, $4.60@4.70; good to choice, $4.00@4.60; common to fair, $3.25@3.75. Butchers: Extra, $3.50; good to choice, $3.00@3.25; common to fair, $2.00@2.75.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb, 8@9c; quarter blood clothing, 13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13@14c; coarse, 11c; medium combing, 14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 15@16c; medium clothing, 17@18c; delaine fleece, 17@18c; long combing, 17@18c; quarter blood and low, 15@17c; common coarse, 15; 10c; tub-washed, choice, 21@22c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, June 19.

WHEAT—No. 2 red spot and June, 59½@60c; July, 60½@60¾c; August, 61¼@61½c; September, 62¼@62½c.

CORN—Mixed spot and June, 46⅝c bid; July, 46c bid.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 48½@49c; No. 2 mixed do 46½@47c.

RYE—No. 2, 55@56c.

NEW YORK, June 19.

RYE—Western, 48@57c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, store and elevator, 62¾@63c; afloat, 63c; f. o. b., 63⅝@64c; ungraded red, 58@63c; No. 1 northern, 71@71¼c.

CORN—No. 2 45½@45¾c at elevator, 45⅝@45¾c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 49½@50c; No. 2 white, 51@51½c; No. 2 Chicago, 50½@51c; No. 3, 48½c; No. 3 white, 49½@50c; mixed western, 50@51c; white do and white state, 51@51½c.

TOLEDO, O., June 19.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 59½c; July, 60c; August, 61c; September, 62c; December, 65c; No. 3 red cash, 57½c.

CORN—No. 2 mixed cash, 41½c.

OATS—No. 2 white cash, 44½c; No. 3 white cash, 41c.

CLOVERSEED—October, $5.20.

PITTSBURGH, June 19.

CATTLE—Prime, $4.50@4.75; good, $4.10@4.50; good butchers, $4.00@4.25; rough fat, $3.00@3.50.

HOGS—Best prime, $4.60@4.65; best Yorkers, $4.60@4.65; common to fair Yorkers, $4.70@4.75; pigs, $4.70@4.75; good heavy sows, $4.00@4.50.

SHEEP—Extra, $3.50@3.60; good, $3.10@3.30; fair, $2.10@2.70; common, 50c@$1.25; yearlings, $2.10@3.90; lambs, $3.10@4.40.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 19.

CATTLE—Mediums to good 35@40c, and common grassy and cow stuff 50@80c off, the worst market of the season: choice export steers, $4.50@4.75; fair to medium, $3.70@4.40; light and others, $3.00@3.60; cows and heifers, $2.75@4.25.

HOGS—Yorkers, $4.85@4.90; mixed packers, $4.85@4.90; medium, $4.90; choice heavy, $4.90@4.95; pigs, $4.85@4.90; roughs, $4.00@4.50; stags, $3.00@3.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Mixed sheep, $2.50@3.10; light wethers, $3.15@3.40; choice export 135 lbs., $3.50@4.00; spring lambs, choice, $4.65@4.25; light to good, $3.75@3.65; yearlings, $3.50@3.25.

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5:15 am—Norfolk Express—Arrives at Columbus 8 30 am. Pullman Buffet car, Roanoke to Columbus. Arrives Chicago 7 55 pm, via Hocking Valley and C. & E. Rys

10:28 am—Local Accommodation—Arrives Columbus 2 20 pm, makes all stops.

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But, Oh, My! What an Awful Twist Some of Them Have.

Some Tickle Funk's Proboscis, Others Dangle in Fenton's Locks, a Few Make Matthews Giggle,

Richards Keeps His Shirt on, Morgan, Jones and Barger Each Grab One.

The Times-Scribe Talks With Each of the Candidates—Their Hopes, Fears and Prospects—Incidents and Comments on the Great Battle Now Waging in This City.

The greater number of the delegates to the Congressional convention arrived in the city last evening, before supper time, and distributed about at the various hotels, the majority of them, however, being located at the Biggs House. All of the candidates—Mathews, Richards, Morgan, Fenton, Jones, Barger and Funk—all were stopping at the latter hostelry, and early opened their headquarters.

During the evening the scenes about the lobby were full of that animation and bustle and hustle so characteristic of American political life. Candidates were moving about renewing old acquaintances, button-holing delegates, or conferring earnestly with the managers of their political fortunes. Candidates had not yet got down to genuine wire-pulling, however—it may be that the time had not come yet, or it may be that the delegates were a little bit shy, however.

But everybody seemed very much afraid of everybody else, and if a Morgan delegate, for instance, were seen in conversation with a Matthews manager or a Funk manager, as the case may be, he was at once called upon by Morgan & Co. to give an account of himself. The very air was full of deals, yet not a deal was in sight. The general fear of treachery was such that treachery was next to impossible. Everybody was anxiously awaiting the morrow, and, strange as it may seem, there seemed to be a disposition on the part of many to avoid conversation on the political situation. The lobby was crowded with people, however, until a late hour, it being almost midnight when the last of the delegates wandered off in the direction of his sleeping apartments.

A TIMES reporter met Mr. Matthews, the candidate of Gallia county, in the lobby and had the pleasure of a few minutes' conversation with him. Mr. Matthews is a smooth-faced, pleasant looking gentleman of middle size, and perhaps 40 or 45 years of age. Of all the candidates, Mr. Matthews perhaps makes the best impression, greeting all comers with a cordial, frank and easy manner that cannot but fail to charm. Mr. Matthews referred to the recent interview published in the TIMES with a friend of Dr. Johnston, his competitor in Gallia county, in which charges of corruption were made against him, and denied them vigorously, saying that he had not that much money to spend and would not have spent it if he had had it. That interview seemed to cause a great deal of unnecessary indignation on the part of the entire Gallia county delegation, the most of them claiming that the friends of Dr. Johnston used the most money. One of the delegates characterized the doctor as a third or fourth rate physician of average ability, who had been puffed up by schemers and made to believe that he was a congressional quantity. His strength seemed to lie in the fact that he was related to about one-half of Gallia county. Everyone seemed to agree that money, and lots of it too, was used illegitimately in the Gallia primaries, yet "'twas the other fellow" who had it.

Mr. Mathews smiled when asked what he thought of his chances for being nominated, and said that, of course, he expected the nomination. "Our fellows have no second choice," said he. "They have not considered that at all. There is a feeling among them that I think you will find in no other delegation, and that is this: We feel that Gallia county is entitled to it. You go to a supporter of Mr. Morgan and he will say he is for Morgan first, last and all the time. But he will not claim that Jackson county should have the congressman. The same is true of Lawrence, of Scioto, and in fact all the others. On the other hand Gallia county claims to be entitled to the nomination. In 1851 we had a congressman for two years; then again we were not represented in the national congress until 1881, when Mr. McCormack got the nomination and held the place for one term only. So you see we have been left out with this exception, for upwards of forty years, and with this feeling there is no disposition on our part to make a break."

"What do you think of the prospects of a combine in this senatorial district?" queried the reporter.

"I do not think it possible at all. I think there is but little chance. Each of the counties are willing for a combine provided their candidate is chosen. I do not look for a protracted struggle such as we had last year. I think a nomination will be made tomorrow without doubt. The balloting today will be purely perfunctory, and there will be no breaks. The delegates want to sleep over the matter."

Mr. Matthews has with him a delegation of hustlers, men who are politicians from the word go, and if wind and moral suasion is to win the laurels in the fight Mr. Matthews' chances are indeed bright, and it would not be much in the nature of a surprise if he were successful.

General Jack Richards, of Ironton, was circulating about in a light blue negligee shirt and a straw hat, his face wreathed in smiles. Richards is personally known to almost every man in the district worth knowing, and is generally liked. His ability is unquestioned and at any other time or under any other circumstances would make a formidable candidate. But as things are today he is not in it, and of all the candidates has the poorest chance of winning the coveted prize. The feeling against the element represented by the Lawrence county delegation is very bitter all over the district, and any candidate who would make overtures to Lawrence would be almost sure to be knocked out by a counter-combination. Had Mr. Goddard been successful in this county the chances for Mr. Richards' nomination would have been bright indeed. Mr. Richards was careful not to commit himself to anything when questioned, further than to express himself as being hopeful of the result. He has a delegation of trained politicians—men used to political warfare, and who will be quick to seize any opportunity which presents itself to make an advantageous trade. They howl for Richards quite loudly, however—so loud, in fact, that it excites suspicion as to its genuineness.

Mr. Richards has served as prosecuting attorney of Lawrence county, as state senator, and is now serving his second term as attorney-general of the state. He is a brainy, clever gentleman and would make an excellent congressman, and, as before stated, under other circumstances would make a formidable candidate. Mr. Richards is yet a young man and can afford to wait. He may yet represent the district in congress, but he is not "in it" this time.

Little Pike county's two candidates John W. Barger and Wells S. Jones, both are on hand and are perfectly willin' that lightnin' should strike in his direction. Mr. Barger claims that the delegation is his being seven and a half to one and a half in his favor but General Jones claims that it should be divided equally. The latter is a fine looking gentleman of middle age, with a rather severe countenance. He is not much of a mixer and wanders about the lobby pretty much by himself. His candidacy is inexplicable and he is not considered in the light of a possibility even. Mr. Jones laughed to a reporter, in the course of a conversation and said he thought he might be "in it." The General formerly served on the state board of public works with distinction and is well known over the state.

Mr. Barger is really Pike's choice and has a majority of the delegation. He is a younger and more active man than Jones and makes a better impression. He is an ex-member of the legislature being elected in 1885, is a sharp, shrewd politician, and in the possible event of Pike county getting the candidate, will probably be the man. From present indications neither Barger nor Jones will be burdened with congressional honors. The greater part of speculation in reference to Pike county, seems to be to which candidate will she swing at the critical moment.

Lucius J. Fenton, of Adams county, has grown gray in the service. He has been up before the last half dozen congressional conventions, passing as Adams county's favorite son, and while he has always been ever so willin' has never yet been struck. He is a very small man, rather slender, and of anything but imposing presence. He had a bitter fight this time to get the delegation, but he got it just as he has got it when he wanted it, half a dozen times before. Mr. Fenton is a banker, and lives in Winchester. His friends seriously claim that he has a chance for the nomination, but when pressed for reasons say "well, because that's all." In the event of a dead-lock Mr. Fenton may be considered. His patience and persistence in seeking the nomination certainly should be rewarded it seems. But at present what was said of Pike can also be said with equal truth of Adams. The chief question is, who will get Adams county's vote when the break comes? The chances are that his name is Theodore K. Funk.

Steve Morgan, of Jackson, is an educator, and has for years conducted a normal at Oak Hill. He obtained the delegation after the hottest fight known in Jackson county politics, and the Jackson Republican Sun did not and does not hesitate to say that he is not the choice of that county, that his election was secured by fraud and corruption. There was some talk of sending a contesting delegation, but the movement petered out. Mr. Morgan personally is a man of fine presence and a fine scholar. He will receive the support of his delegation for several ballots, but his support is not characterized by that vim and vigor essential to success. They are already casting about for a suitable deal with one of the other counties. Jackson county is under more obligation to Mr. Funk than to any of the other candidates, and it is not at all unlikely that he will receive the support of the delegation. The members are favorably disposed to Matthews, however.

Hon. Theodore Funk is the most popular, all-around candidate in the field. He is genial, courteous and confident. He stands well with the delegates from all the counties and can only meet defeat as the result of deals made by his political foes. He is unquestionably the second choice of all the county delegations, except Lawrence, and looking at his chances from their standpoint they have only one chance to defeat him. Morgan is their man if Gallia could be induced to come to him to defeat the lower counties. This would be a dangerous combination for Morgan to attempt, as the other counties of this senatorial district would never consent to see Mr. Morgan the beneficiary of any such deal and would throw the nomination to Gallia. Jackson cannot be induced to go to Gallia, unless it is merely a matter of spite, which no person for a moment believes will happen. The logical candidate is Funk, with Lawrence county out, and we believe their influence in the convention is zero, simply because they represent a lost cause in southern Ohio. It is not the rivulets that are odious, but the fountain head that the people hold in contempt, and here in Portsmouth, the home of Funk, it is most odious. Funk's chances are good for the reason that Lawrence can't get the nomination and any combination dictated by the bosses, the general belief is that Lawrence would be a party to carrying it out. It is an unenviable position to occupy, and we are sorry it is so, for they are all good fellows and ought to be found in better company, with better ends in view. For tomorrow's ballots we prefer to chose Theodore K. Funk as the winner, but after that may change our mind.

Taking everything into consideration, it seems to lay that the real fight lies between Funk and Mathews, and of the two men, Funk seems to be the favorite, and it would not be suprising if he were nominated in the early stages of the convention, after the usual complimentary votes have been cast. In the event of a protracted struggle, Mr. Funk's chances for success are materially lessened, that is generally conceded. One thing that operates against Mr. Funk, is the fact that there is in his own county a faction that is surely though secretly knifing him and endeavoring in every way possible to prejudice his chances. The gang, under the leadership of the Daily Blade, have boasted time and again on the streets of Portsmouth that they will see to it that Mr. Funk does not go to Congress, and they are not at all choice as to the methods used in order to compass his defeat. As an evidence of this opposition the action of the Daily Blade this morning in utterly ignoring Scioto county's candidate, in giving a general write up of the men whose names are to be presented to the convention, is a striking example. This opposition should have a tendency to operate in his favor with all the delegation, excepting possibly Lawrence, which delegation, unfortunately for it, is supposed to represent the odium that clings to bossismin in Scioto county. The action of the Blade in thus ignoring Funk is certainly small politics, and is impressed by its editor, Mr. Valjean, who has for so many years dominated the politics of this county and district. His policy has been rule or ruin a policy which has driven the young progressive and intelligent element of the party into open rebellion which has resulted in a triumphant opposition which will not likely look upon this new move on the part of the Blade with any degree of complacency.

HEARD IN THE LOBBY.

The odds are that Funk is the man.

A resolution will probably be introduced this afternoon shutting out dark horses.

The Adams county delegation is a fine looking body of men, and made a good impression.

Editor Brown of The Republican is not exerting himself for Richards. Indeed it is whispered—but these rumors don't go you know.

The candidates are modestly holding forth on the stage of the opera house behind the wings waiting to be called on to address the convention.

A Gallia county delegate, who rejoices in the peculiar name of Hott, met Auditor Corn, of Lawrence, and Hott Corn was furnished for the spectators.

Judge Thompson is circulating about the lobby this forenoon, but he was not working for Funk. The Judge should not sulk in his tent. It is not becoming.

The River City band will give an open air concert, on the lower Market square, this evening. The boys furnish music of a superior character, and they are sure of an immense crowd.

In one of the nominating speeches the "brilliant and eloquent statesman of Scioto, Judge Thompson," was referred to. The Pike county delegation and one man in the audience cheered.

Hon. T. N. Ross, who was Richard's opponent for the Lawrence county delegation, is enjoying the fun. It is whispered about that Ross is not so friendly to Richards now as he might be.

Among prominent members of the Lawrence delegation are Auditor W. D. Corns, ex-Prosecuting Attorney A. R. Johnson, Prosecuting Attorney R. B. Miller, and Editor E. S. Wilson, of the Register.

It was rumored this morning that delegates were receiving letters from Congressman Bundy, asking them to remember old man Bundy in the event of a dead lock. The old man is sly sir! Devilish sly.

Delegates had some difficulty in getting hotel accommodations, and some of them, so to speak, are hanging up on pegs all night. The Legler House accommodated quite a number of people on cots over night.

The River City band was out this morning and serenaded the delegates at the Biggs House. The band subsequently marched to the opera house, and rendered several selections inside. The boys were complimented on all sides for their music.

Sheriff Grant Ward, of Lawrence, the youngest sheriff in the state, and "Pap" Gates, the oldest ex-sheriff in the state, came down with the Ironton delegation. Probate Judge J. C. Russell and ex-Probate Judge Lot Davis are also down from Ironton.

The local newspaper men have made arrangements to entertain visiting newspaper men in the Blaine club room, in the Spry block, corner of Second and Market streets. The room is nicely carpeted, and all visiting newspaper men will be warmly welcomed. Refreshments of all kinds have been provided.

Col. Wm Hughes, formerly of the Biggs House, now of the new Ironton Hotel, was an interesting spectator at the convention today, and was cordially greeted by his old friends here. The Colonel is not at all averse to the convention coming to Ironton in case of a dead-lock, and thinks Ironton hotels could take care of each and all comers.

Editor Brown, of the Ironton Republican, and Ex-Sheriff "Pap" Gates, had a lively little talk in the Biggs House dining room today. Brown is still smarting over the manner in which he and his chosen few were set down upon in Lawrence, and insinuated broadly to Gates that the reason he was so favorable to Richards was that he (Gates) was very anxious to capture a city office in Ironton this coming spring. The charge was indignantly denied by Gates, but Brown insisted that he knew better, virtually calling Gates a liar. This the latter resented, and things looked squally for a while, but finally the affair was smoothed over.

The saddest feature of the whole convention is the forlorn spectacle of members of the "old guard" as they wander about the Biggs House lobby disconsolate. The field of their former triumphs has an irresistable fascination for them and they can not keep away. Now and then a stray delegate takes pity upon them and indulges in a few moments conversation with them. But not for long. A defeated politician is not long remembered in this age and day of the world. Verily the passing of the "old guard" is sad indeed.

Little Pike county with her nine votes, is creating quite a stir and enjoys the distinction of being the only county in the district presenting two candidates. The delegation is about evenly divided it seems, although Barger claims that it stands 7 1-2 for him to 1 1-2 for Jones. The latter says Bargar withdrew once but that gentleman knowingly winks his eye and deprecates that Gen. Jones, his good friend, by the way, should prevaricate occasionally." Both men say they are in to stay.

THE NEWSPAPER MEN.

A Jolly, Good Natured, Clever Set They Are, Too.

J. W. Faulkner, one of the most popular members of the Enquirer staff, is doing the convention for that newspaper. Faulkner is a jolly, good fellow, and the Enquirer's account will be strictly up to date. The Enquirer's great rival, the Commercial Gazette has a member of the city staff to "do" the convention, in the person of W. C. Culkins. Mr. Culkins is quite well known in the city, and was for some years a resident of our neighboring city Ironton.

The only other Cincinnati paper represented is the Tribune, which paper is represented by W. H. Ellis, an accomplished newspaper man.

Harry Paul, of the Irontonian, is one of the cleverest and smallest newspaper men in the field, and his accounts of convention doings are full of life.

Sam E. Davidson, of the New Era, is renewing old acquaintances and taking notes for his paper. Sam was a Patton man before the primaries, but he's in line now and pulling hard for Fenton

Sherman Porter, a young gentleman with a strong bass voice and a big bump of admiration for Matthews, is in the city assisting Mr. Culkins and incidentally sending specials to the Gallipolis journal.

Thos. C. Gerken, of the Jackson Standard-Journal, is here nursing the Morgan boom and looking after the Standard-Journal's interests. Mr. Gerken's partner, Mr. Williams, is also in the city.

Editor Thomas G. Brown, of the Ironton Republican, is here doing the convention for his paper. Mr. Brown is not "in it" in this convention, being knocked out at the primaries. He's having lots of fun, however, watching the other fellows hustle.

Mr. J. I. Gorman, the genial proprietor of the Irontonian, was in the city a few hours today and was a pleasant caller at the TIMES office this afternoon. Mr. Gorman enjoys the distinction of owning the best paper in Ironton.

Editor Ed Wilson, of the Ironton Register—everybody knows him—is hustling things for his paper. Wilson is the most distinguished looking man present.

Our own Carl Huber should not be forgotten in the shuffle. Huber is omnipresent, knows everybody, has a pleasant word for everybody, and, incidentally, never loses an opportunity to boom the Correspondent.

J. W. Jones is another Gallia county editor who is enjoying the fray and talking Matthews with all his might.

Editor W. G. Sibley, of the Gallipolis Tribune, who made such a hot fight for Matthews, is on the latter's delegation and will also look out for the Tribune's interests.

"Many of the citizens of Rainsville, Indiana are never without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house," says Jacob Brown, the leading merchant of the place. This remedy has proven of so much value for colds, croup and whooping cough in children that few mothers who know its worth are willing to be without it. For sale by Fisher & Streich.

The best screened. Hanging Rock lump coal, always on hand, at 8 cents a bushel. JOHN FLANNIGAN, 708 Market street.

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Williamsburg and return, June 23, via C., P. & V., only $1. Masonic celebration. 3t.

Everybody reads the TIMES.

FRAGMENTS.

Don't fail to attend the lawn fete at the Second Presbyterian church Thursday evening.

The Western Union office will be open every night until everything is disposed of. J. E. HADLEY.

The order entitled the Seven Wise Men will give a benefit festival and dance at Massie hall Thursday evening, June 21st. Admission 25c.

CORPORAL ROW

Makes a Statement Resenting Rumors Impugning His Valor.

EDITOR TIMES: On my return home with Company H, I learned with much surprise and mortification, that a rumor had been going the rounds that I had been arrested the night the company was called out, and taken to the armory under guard. I desire to say that said rumor is without foundation, as no man in the company responded to the call more cheerfully than myself.

When the alarm was sounded, I was at home in bed and asleep. Claude Farnham came to my house and awakened me, and told me that the company had been ordered to assemble at the armory, and I went to the armory at once and without protest, and was in uniform ready to leave in fifteen minutes after being notified.

Who ever started said report, manufactured the same out of whole cloth, and is an unmitigated and malicious liar, and the truth is not in him.

Respectfully,
VOLNEY R. ROW.

Corporal Row and several other members of the company were notified at their homes of the call, and each and every one responded cheerfully and promptly. The report referred to in the foregoing communication is entirely unfounded and I consider it a reflection upon the loyalty of Company H that the same was made, as it is wholly untrue.

OSCAR W. NEWMAN,
Captain Company H.

The above statement is correct in every particular.

CLAUDE C. FARNHAM,
Private Company H.

"TOO MUCH BEER."

A Supposed Crazy Man Turns Out to Be Only a Drunk.

A tramp-looking individual created considerable excitement in Clay township yesterday afternoon by his peculiar actions. He would run up and down the road, swearing and yelling and disturbing the peace at a great rate. Constable John Sanford took him in charge, thinking that he was crazy. He was brought to the city and locked up in jail last night. This morning he said that too much beer was all that was the matter with him. A bottle of alcohol, found on his person, was, he said, for use on his sore feet. He says that his name is Welkin and that he came here from Pomeroy in search of employment.

This week, at the special reduction sale of gentlemen's furnishing goods, four linen collars for 25 cents at CONNOLLEY'S DRY GOODS STORE.

FREE ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements under the head of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," etc., not to exceed three lines, will be published three times free.

FOR SALE—Two fresh milch cows. Inquire at Harsha & Caskey Mills. 19

FOR SALE—Tables and shelving cheap at 214 Chillicothe street. 19

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, second floor, for light housekeeping if desired, at 25 Gallia street. 19

FOR RENT—Parlor room down stairs. Inquire of Mrs. Gibson, 821 North Findlay street. 19

WANTED—Pupils wishing private instructions during summer vacation. For terms call at 418 Bond street.
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WANTED—Two collectors, salary and commission guaranteed. Call between 1 and 5 o'clock Wednesday, Thursday or Friday, 101 East Ninth street. 19

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FOR SALE—A double standing, six-foot desk, cheap for cash. In good condition. Inquire of John K. Duke, 51 West Second street. 19

WANTED—Primary pupils wishing private instruction during summer vacation, by Anna Lloyd, 82 West Fifth street.

WANTED—Six coopers to manufacture tierces and pickle kegs. Apply to the Barden Manufacturing Co., Barden, O.

WANTED—Boarders, at 17 West Sixth street.

FOR SALE—Ice box; new; for grocer, hotel or butcher. Also one butcher's cooler. Call at Blake's. 15

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